LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

THIRD DAY.

Saturday, 13th October 1951.

The Legislative Assembly met in the Crawford Hall, Mysore, at Thirty-five Minutes past Eight of the Clock.

Mr. Speaker (The Hon'ble Sri V. Venkatappa) in the Chair.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Mr. SPEAKER (The Hon'ble Sri V. Venkatappa).—Questions.

Malnad Improvement.

Q.—9. **Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY** (Kolar District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they are aware of the committee appointed by the Government of India to suggest ways and means to improve Malnad ;

(*b*) whether there are any representatives of the Mysore Malnad area in the said committee ;

(*c*) whether the said committee has suggested any plans and programmes for the improvement of Malnad ?

A.—**The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY** (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) Yes.
(*b*) None.
(*c*) Yes.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Is it true that the Malnad is covered mostly by Mysore ?

***The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.**—Yes, to a large extent.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Was the Government of Mysore consulted in the matter before the Committee was appointed by the Government of India ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—They were not consulted before the Committee was appointed. But I think the Hon'ble Member is aware that the Secretary of the Committee was an officer of the Mysore Government. Sri Mallaradhya was the Member-Secretary of that Committee.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—You have said that there were no representatives in the Committee from the Mysore Malnad area. But were there representatives from the State on the Committee ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—The Committee was not constituted that way so far as I know. But they obviously gave prominence to Mysore by appointing one of our officers as the Member-Secretary of the Committee. On that matter we were consulted.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—You have stated that plans and programmes have been suggested. May I know what they are ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—They have sent us provisional plans for immediate purposes, namely for a year or two. The final proposals have yet to be received.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Before final proposals are received, has it come to the notice of the Government that the Committee itself has been abolished by the Government of India ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—Yes. I have seen a report of it in the press.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—How then do the Government expect that these plans suggested by them will come to a final shape ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—We have to see about it. So far as this Government are concerned, we have yet no information regarding the final report. Perhaps it may be submitted, I do not know.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—What are the preliminary plans that have been suggested ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY. —I have not got the information about it here. But we would consider about placing the plan on the table of the House if the Government of India have no objection to the same.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY. —Have the Committee or the Government of India sent a report of the plans to our Government ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—I have already said 'yes'.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—How will the State Government try to implement those proposals ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—We have already certain schemes on hand so far as Malnad improvement is concerned. Those schemes are being proceeded with. Regarding the other proposals, we can take them up only to the extent that the finances are available. When the draft five year plan will come up for discussion the Hon'ble Member will find that one crore has been allotted for Malnad development in the draft plan. We can discuss the various details about the Malnad development then.

Sri M. GOVINDA REDDY (Chitaldrug District—General).—Has the Committee invited this Government to send up proposals for the improvement of the Malnad area, or have the Government consulted this Committee regarding those proposals ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—The Committee met the representatives of the Government in Bangalore itself. Then we had a discussion on the subject.

Sri V. M. MASCARENHAS (Retroceded Area—General).—Has the Committee cost the Government of Mysore any expenditure ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—No, except to the extent of paying D.A. and T.A. charges to the Member-Secretary.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡರು (ತುಮಕೂರು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ).—ಸ್ವಾಮಿ, ಈ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ಪಾರ್ಲಿಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಂದೆ ಈಚೆಗೆ ಬಂದಿತ್ತೆ ?

ಮಾನ್ಯ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಚಂಗಲರಾಯರೆಡ್ಡಿಯವರು.—ಗೊತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡರು.—ಆಗ ಈ ಸ್ಕೀಂ ಕೈಬಿಟ್ಟಿವು ಎಂದು ಶ್ರೀ ಮುನ್ಷಿಯವರು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದು ಗೊತ್ತಿಲ್ಲವೇ ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—I am sorry; I am not aware of it definitely.

Sri B. HUTCHE GOWDA.—Did not the Hon'ble Chief Minister read it in newspapers at least ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—I have said "No."

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡರು.—ಈ ರೀತಿ ಸುಮಾರು 3½ ಕೋಟಿ ರೂಪಾಯಿ ಸ್ಕೀಂ ಇದ್ದದ್ದನ್ನು ಈಗ ಕಾರ್ಯಗತಮಾಡದಿದ್ದರೆ ಮಲೆನಾಡು ಪ್ರದೇಶ ಹೆಚ್ಚಾಗಿರತಕ್ಕ ಮೈಸೂರಿನ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಗೆ ಬಾಧಕವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂಬುದು ಗೊತ್ತೇ ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—I cannot say about that. So far as Mysore is concerned we have been going ahead with our own programmes and schemes for the development of Malnad since a long time past and we are continuing it even now.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡರು.—ಹಾಗಾದರೆ ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾಕಾದಷ್ಟು ಧನ ಸಹಾಯವಿದೆಯೇ ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—To the extent the finances are available we can implement these plans as the Hon'ble Member is no doubt completely aware of it. And we can also attempt to tap new sources. To the extent we can provide funds from the finances available, we can proceed with the plans. No one can do more than that.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡರು.—ಹಿಂದೆಮಾಡಿದ ಯೋಜನೆ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಇಂಡಿಯಾ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರನ್ನು ಸಬ್ಸಿಡಿ ಕೊಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಒತ್ತಾಯ ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲವೇ ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—Yes, we are doing that, as the Hon'ble Member will see when the draft plan comes up for discussion. We have indicated several sources of new revenues that could be raised. We have provided for help from the Government. We have also provided in the plan for an expenditure of one crore of rupees for the development of Malnad areas.

Allocation proposals regarding Copyists in the State.

Q.—137. Sri K. SAMPANGI RAMIAH (Kolar District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) when the Copyists in the State were absorbed into the State service on regular pay ;

(*b*) when the allocation statements were prepared ;

(*c*) whether any proposals were sent regarding initial pay, promotions and pensions of these Copyists ;

(*d*) whether they have passed orders or given effect to the allocation proposals ;

(*e*) how many Copyists have retired without getting the benefits of allocation proposals ?

A.—The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) From 1-1-1949 (other than those in Civil Station).

From 1-7-1949 (those in Civil Station).

(*b*) The allocation statements were prepared and forwarded to Government through the Accountant-General, Mysore, Bangalore, in High Court letter No. R.O.C. 448—44-45, dated 15th June 1951.

The allocation statements in respect of Copyists of the Courts of Civil Station are pending on account of the representation of the Copyists of the District Court, Civil Station, praying that the Government Order treating them as salaried servants of Government may be given effect to from 1st December 1949 instead of from 1st July 1949.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) The proposals are under consideration of Government.

(*e*) Nine Examiners and thirteen Copyists have retired. These will also get the benefits of allocation, according to the proposals sent to Government.

Sri K. SAMPANGI RAMIAH.—Can the Government tell us the number of Copyists and Examiners in the State ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—Not now. If the Hon'ble Member is very keen, we will supply the information later on.

Sri K. SAMPANGI RAMIAH.—What is the extra expenditure involved ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—I am sorry I want notice for that also.

Sri K. SAMPANGI RAMIAH.—Can the Government give any reason for such long delay of two years on the part of the High Court to put forward their recommendations to the Government ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—I do not know what were the reasons that influenced the High Court to send up those proposals very late. Anyway, the Hon'ble Member will see that those proposals will have retrospective effect and the Copyists will not ultimately stand to lose.

Sri K. SAMPANGI RAMIAH.—Are the Government aware that the Copyists are put to a lot of inconvenience owing to this long delay ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—They will get the whole amount in one lumpsum and they can use it for good purpose.

Sri D. H. CHANDRASEKHARAIYA (Chitaldrug District—General).—Are the Government aware that after the Copyists were brought under regular service copying work in the courts has very much slackened ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—Yes, we have heard from representations to that effect. But it is too early to pass any judgment on the changed system.

Sri D. H. CHANDRASEKHARAIYA.—Will the Government at least bring this to the notice of the High Court so that copies applied for are given promptly ?